

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 65th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Call to Order: Chair Brad Tschida, on February 3, 2017 at 8:00 AM, in Room 350 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Brad Tschida, Chair (R)
Rep. Dan Bartel (R)
Sen. Mike Lang (R)
Rep. Kelly McCarthy (D)
Sen. Mary McNally (D)

Members Excused: Sen. Frederick (Eric) Moore, Vice Chair (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Olivia Effertz, Committee Secretary
Katie Guenther, Legislative Branch

Audio Committees: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

Committee Business Summary: Department of Labor & Industry-Technology Services Division, Office of Community Services, Workers' Compensation Court, and Public Testimony

Technology Services Division:

00:00:44 Katie Guenther, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)
00:04:00 George Parisot, Department of Labor & Industry (DLI)
00:09:35 Sen. Lang
00:10:15 George Parisot, DLI
00:10:22 Natalie Smitham, Department of Labor & Industry (DLI)
00:10:47 Sen. Lang
00:11:20 Natalie Smitham, DLI
00:11:29 Chair Tschida
00:11:52 George Parisot, DLI
00:12:13 Chair Tschida
00:13:25 Natalie Smitham, DLI
00:13:36 Chair Tschida
00:13:47 George Parisot, DLI
00:13:53 Sen. McNally
00:14:10 George Parisot, DLI

Office of Community Services:

00:14:39 Katie Guenther, LFD
00:17:19 Dan Ritter, Department of Labor & Industry (DLI)
00:25:46 Chair Tschida
00:26:08 Dan Ritter, DLI
00:26:27 Vice Chair Moore joined the meeting
00:26:30 Chair Tschida
00:26:44 Dan Ritter, DLI

00:27:51 Recessed
00:32:56 Reconvened

Workers' Compensation Court:

00:33:11 Katie Guenther, LFD
00:35:53 Judge David Sandler, Department of Labor & Industry (DLI)
00:45:48 Commissioner Pam Bucy, Department of Labor & Industry (DLI)
00:54:30 Rep. Bartel
00:55:07 Commissioner Pam Bucy, DLI

00:56:15 Recessed
01:05:40 Reconvened

Public Testimony:

01:07:25 Casey Blumenthal, Montana Hospital Association (MHA)
01:13:25 Jean Branscum, Montana Medical Association (MMA)
01:20:00 Kelly Lynch, Montana League of Cities and Towns (MLCT)
01:21:02 Skylar Willard, Dick Anderson Construction
01:25:51 Lance Zanto, Labor Management Advisory Council (LMAC)
01:29:54 Ruth McCafferty, HELP Link Workforce Training Program
01:34:07 Drew Uecker, Great Falls Public Schools
01:36:30 Hayley Payment, Jobs for Montana Graduates (JMG)
01:42:03 Rosy Beisecker, Jobs for Montana Graduates (JMG)
01:46:05 Yenta Jaques, Jobs for Montana Graduates (JMG)

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01:50:12 Nathan Hansen, Veteran Workforce Program
01:53:57 Joby Flynn, Health Care Montana Grant
02:00:27 Nicole Paulson, Health Care Montana Grant
02:03:36 Jamie McGraw, Montana Career Information System (MCIS)
02:09:28 Tamie Hicky, Great Falls Adult Education Program

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02:13:09 Commissioner Pam Bucy, DLI

02:13:34 Chair Tschida

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 02:13:52

Olivia Effertz, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

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